THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Reverend Hill will not be in the Church office on Thursday as he has been asked to address a class at Candler School of Theology at Emory University. Please keep him in your prayers on this occasion.

We also ask you to be in prayer for our District Conference next weekend in Huntsville, Alabama.

We still need volunteers to help shop at the Atlanta Community Food Bank for our Coffee House outreach. If you would like to learn how to "shop" at the Food Bank, please see either Roger Cobb or Tommy Teaver. If, instead, you are able to provide transportation so that Roger can do the shopping, also please let either Roger or Tommy know.

Metropolitan Community Church
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The Reverend Bruce A. Hill, *Pastor*

The Atlanta Fem. Wom. Chorus

Sunday, November 1, 1987

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November 1, 1987 **ALL SAINTS DAY** **Two O'clock**

THE AFTERNOON SERVICE OF WORSHIP

The Organ Prelude: **"Andante Cantabile"** Peter I. Tchaikovsky

The Opening Hymn: **"For All the Saints"** No. 614

The Welcome and Announcements

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The Prayers Of and For the People and The Lord's Prayer

The Confession of Faith: **"A Confession of Faith"** Leo Tolstoy

I believe in God, who is for me spirit, love, the principal of all things.
I believe that God is in me, as I am in God.
I believe that the true welfare of humanity consists in fulfilling the will of God.
I believe that from the fulfillment of the will of God there can follow nothing but that which is good for me and for all people.
I believe that the will of God is that all people should love each other, and should act toward others as they desire that others should act toward them.
I believe that the reason of life is for each of us simply to grow in love.
I believe that this growth in love will contribute more than any other force to establish the Kingdom of God on earth.

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The Special Music

The Offering of Tithes and Gifts

The Organ Offertory: **"Fugue"** William Selby

The Congregational Response: **"The Doxology"**

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all creatures here below,
Praise God above ye heavenly host,
Praise Maker, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Reading from the Epistle — **Hebrews 11:1-6**

The Reading from the Holy Gospel — **St. Matthew 5:13-16**

The Message: **"Giving Our Best to God?"** — *The Reverend Bruce A. Hill, Senior Pastor*

The Pastoral Prayer

The Sermon Hymn: **"Living for Jesus"** No. 462

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THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Confession
The Assurance of Pardon
The Institution of the Sacrament
The Holy Sacrament of Our Lord's Supper
The Prayer of Thanksgiving

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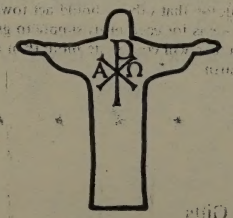
The Closing Hymn: **"We Give Thee but Thine Own"** No. 515

The Benediction

The Organ Postlude: **"Marche Romaine"** Charles Gounod



We are delighted to welcome all visitors to Metropolitan Community Church of the Blessed Redeemer today. If this is your first time worshipping with us, please fill out a visitor's card and place it in an offering plate or hand it to the pastor following the service. Thank you for worshipping with us today, and we hope that you can be with us again for the other regularly scheduled services of this Church on Sunday evenings at 7:00 and on Wednesday evenings at 7:30.